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Interesting that Eileen Claussen said this -- it's true with respect to the CAR, Phil

"There are promising signs of action closer to home as well. The President's rejection of Kyoto not only helped save the Protocol - it elevated this issue in the United States. Climate change has become a political story and the press is keeping it alive. The recent report to the United Nations is a good example. The report contained no new information, it outlined no new policy initiative, and the administration made no announcement of it. Yet it made network news and page one of the Times." (7/17/02).